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Panama, Colombia, July 27.—Not since the days of the last revolution, when an attack upon the city by the Liberals was feared, has there been such a panic in Panama as occurred Saturday night. Shortly after 9 o'clock the office of El Lapiz, the organ of the Liberal party on the isthmus, was visited by officers of the general staff of the army, who destroyed Saturday's edition of the newspaper. One of the directors was slightly wounded, but managed to escape.

As the office of the newspaper is situated in a very populous district, the news spread rapidly. In the Santa Ana neighborhood, where most of the Liberals reside, sentiment rose to a high pitch and a few of the prominent people counselled retaliation. They took no action, however.

The next event came like a bombshell. A company of soldiers, apparently under the orders of General Vasquez Cobos, commander of the National forces, surrounded the residence of Governor Mutis, but the governor and his wife, who is an American woman, having been warned a few minutes before the arrival of the troops, succeeded in escaping.

Rumors of Arrests.

General Huertas, commander of the battalion of Colombia, when he learned of the El Lapiz incident, repaired to headquarters, where he found General Cobos. According to current reports, the latter ordered General Huertas to remain in quarters. Exactly what has taken place is unknown, but it is said that Dr. Aristides Arjona, secretary of the government, Fernando Arango, chief of police, and Estrin Navia, a member of the departmental superior tribunal of justice, are under arrest, the last named for trying to argue with General Cobos the illegality of his action.

At attempt also is said to have been made to arrest Senor Guerra, secretary of finance, but he escaped. The only civil official on the streets in the morning was Mayor Ossa, Governor Mutis spent the night at the British consulate, but it is reported he will seek refuge in the American consulate.

Gudger Unsuccessful.

United States Consul Gudger made several unsuccessful attempts to secure an audience with General Cobos, who is a brother of the minister of war. It is reported that General Cobos offered the governorship to different Conservatives, who refused to accept, and that he himself will assume civil command. It is said that Consul Gudger attempted to send a cablegram to Arthur M. Beaupre, the United States minister at Bogota, but that the agent refused to accept the message, claiming that the lines were interrupted in spite of the fact that it is known that press messages were accepted.

There was little excitement on the street Sunday, the Colombian battalion attending church in a body as usual, but the condition of affairs is very serious. Governor Mutis virtually is a prisoner.

General Davis Retires.

Manila, July 27.—Major General George W. Davis has transferred the command of the department of the Philippines to Major General James F. Wade, General Davis having been retired for age. General Davis' last act was to review all the troops in and about Manila.

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Iowa Woman Says She Killed a Medicine Vender in Utah.

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 27.—A young woman giving the name of Mrs. Aurora Hodge, her age nineteen, and her home Denison, Ia., entered the office of Superintendent of Police Carr Sunday and said she wanted to give herself up, declaring she had killed a man near Salt Lake, Utah, in July last. She said she had parted from her husband a few months after their marriage and went on the road with a traveling medicine vender as his book-keeper.

"When on a lonely road near Salt Lake, July 11," she said, "he attempted to assault me and I shot him with a revolver I had been carrying. I left him in the wagon and went to Salt Lake to give myself up, but my nerve failed and I took a train for Denison. I told my brother and when he went to tell the authorities I fled to Chicago. There I secured a position as waitress in a Spring Lake (Mich.) hotel but could not rest with it on my mind, so I came to Grand Rapids to give myself up."

Mrs. Hodge refused to tell the name of the man she killed. Chief Carr is investigating and the woman is in jail. A telegram late last night from Chicago confirms Mrs. Hodge's story, states that there is a warrant for her arrest for murder, and asks that she be held for the Salt Lake authorities. The name of the murdered man is given as William N. Ryan.

KEARSARGE AT BAR HARBOR.

Battleship Travels Nearly Three Thousand Miles in Less Than Ten Days.

Bar Harbor, Me., July 27.—The United States battleship Kearsarge arrived at Bar Harbor at 5:42 p. m. Sunday and dropped anchor in the upper harbor at 6:13. A large crowd that had waited all day for the event, watched the vessel enter the harbor and drop anchor near the battleship Illinois. When interviewed, Captain Hemphill expressed surprise that their trip should be of interest to others outside of the navy department. He said: "We left the Needles at 1:25 p. m. on Friday, July 17, and Mount Desert Rock at 12:30 Sunday, covering the distance of 2,900 miles in nine days, 44 hours, an average speed of 13.16 miles an hour."

The highest speed attained was a little over 15 knots an hour and the lowest was 10. Three times during the trip the ship was slowed down, once on account of being in the vicinity of an iceberg and twice on account of a very thick fog. Head winds and thick weather retarded the speed of the ship and under favorable conditions she would have covered the distance in less than nine days.

CATHOLICS IN CONVENTION.

Organize a State Federation of Societies in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, July 27.—The Wisconsin State Federation of Catholic societies was organized in Milwaukee Sunday. The feature of the new convention was an address by Bishop Messmer of Green Bay. The following officers were selected: President, G. T. Moehkes, Outagamie; first vice president, Otto P. Seifert, Milwaukee; second vice president, Daniel H. Martin, Brown; secretary, Joseph H. Carney, Milwaukee; treasurer, M. A. Jacobs, Dodge; marshal, Charles B. Miller, La Crosse.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Sir John Riggby, formerly British Lord Justice of appeals, is dead in London.

Extreme hot weather prevailed throughout Nebraska and Western Iowa Sunday.

A Vienna paper asserts that the new king of Serbia is plotting to acquire Bulgaria.

In a fight among negroes at Providence, Ky., five negroes were shot, some of them fatally.

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Three men were injured by the Big Four's flyer striking a freight train near Wellington, O. Sunday.

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There is much excitement in Jackson, Ky., over an attempt to assassinate Riley Coldiron Saturday night. Coldiron testified against Curtis Jett.

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The poisoning of Miss Dolan created intense excitement in the neighborhood of the crime. The victim was a beautiful young white girl who was known not to have an enemy in the world. She died in terrible agony.

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Supposed Incendiary Fire at Alton, Ill., Has Fatal Results.

Alton, Ill., July 27.—Fire supposed to have been started by an incendiary Sunday destroyed the Alton steam laundry, a row of flats, barber shops and a lumber yard, and resulted in the death of Miss Ruth Meyer and injury of six others. All the injured were badly burned except one, who was hurt in jumping.

PANAMA IN A PANIC

GENERAL COBOS FAILS IN AN
ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE GOV.

ERNOR MUTIS.

Panama, Colombia, July 27.—Not since the days of the last revolution, when an attack upon the city by the Liberals was feared, has there been such a panic in Panama as occurred Saturday night. Shortly after 9 o'clock the office of El Lapiz, the organ of the Liberal party on the isthmus, was visited by officers of the general staff of the army, who destroyed Saturday's edition of the newspaper. One of the directors was slightly wounded, but managed to escape.

As the office of the newspaper is situated in a very populous district, the news spread rapidly. In the Santa Ana neighborhood, where most of the Liberals reside, sentiment rose to a high pitch and a few of the prominent people counselled retaliation. They took no action, however.

The next event came like a bombshell. A company of soldiers, apparently under the orders of General Vasquez Cobos, commander of the National forces, surrounded the residence of Governor Mutis, but the governor and his wife, who is an American woman, having been warned a few minutes before the arrival of the troops, succeeded in escaping.

Rumors of Arrests.

General Huertas, commander of the battalion of Colombia, when he learned of the El Lapiz incident, repaired to headquarters, where he found General Cobos. According to current reports, the latter ordered General Huertas to remain in quarters. Exactly what has taken place is unknown, but it is said that Dr. Aristides Arjona, secretary of the government, Fernando Arango, chief of police, and Etrian Navia, a member of the departmental superior tribunal of justice, are under arrest, the last named for trying to argue with General Cobos the illegality of his action.

At attempt also is said to have been made to arrest Senor Guerra, secretary of finance, but he escaped. The only civil official on the streets in the morning was Mayor Ossa. Governor Mutis spent the night at the British consulate, but it is reported he will seek refuge in the American consulate.

Gudger Unsuccessful.

United States Consul Gudger made several unsuccessful attempts to secure an audience with General Cobos, who is a brother of the minister of war. It is reported that General Cobos offered the governorship to different Conservatives, who refused to accept, and that he himself will assume civil command. It is said that Consul Gudger attempted to send a cablegram to Arthur M. Beaupre, the United States minister at Bogota, but that the agent refused to accept the message, claiming that the lines were interrupted in spite of the fact that it is known that press messages were accepted.

There was little excitement on the street Sunday, the Colombian battalion attending church in a body as usual, but the condition of affairs is very serious. Governor Mutis virtually is a prisoner.

General Davis Retires.

Manila, July 27.—Major General George W. Davis has transferred the command of the department of the Philippines to Major General James F. Wade, General Davis having been retired for age. General Davis' last act was to review all the troops in and about Manila.

SERIOUS RACE RIOTS

TWO KILLED AND TWENTY-TWO
OTHERS WOUNDED AT DAN-
VILLE, ILL.

TROOPS NOW IN CONTROL

FOUR COMPANIES OF MILITIA
HOLD LAWLESS ELEMENT
IN CHECK.

Danville, Ill., July 27.—Two killed and twenty-two wounded, the police station wrecked, the county jail with a few of its windows left unshattered, the city in the hands of the state troops and a feeling of uneasiness and dread prevailing everywhere, is the situation left by the race riots of Saturday night and early Sunday morning. The revised list of dead and injured from Saturday night's catastrophe is as follows:

The dead: John D. Metcalf, negro, lynched and burned; Henry Gatterman, killed by negro Metcalf.

The injured: John Devore, Adam Murray, Bicknell, Clement Moberger, Edward Hart, A. Swafford, Fred Lorenz, W. Lattner, Harry Rennick of Taplin, Ill.; H. Hines, Otto Heinke and Henry Slade; two unknown men, one shot in left arm and the other in the hand, refused to give their names when their wounds were dressed; unknown young man, wound in head, refused to give his name; four unknown negroes, beaten into insensibility by the mob; unknown woman carried away in a buggy after she was seen to fall.

Many of the injured are at the hospital. Arrangements are making for the funeral of Henry Gatterman.

Crowds Were Restless.

After daylight appeared Sunday morning, there were restless crowds in the streets. Hundreds of farmers thronged to Danville and each surrounding town continued to swell the crowd. Many miners were seen in the streets. Great unrest and a threatening attitude was reported from Westville, five miles away. Early in the morning Wilson, the alleged negro assailant of Mrs. Burgess, was secretly taken from the county jail but was returned shortly after.

Four companies of militia arrived Sunday morning from Springfield. Companies A, I, B and H of the Seventh Illinois Infantry were sent in reply to urgent requests sent at midnight to state officers. The troops marched to the market house opposite the jail and encamped.

Streets were cleared of the crowd and the threatening attitude of the crowd disappeared. There were sullen threats heard, but no attempt at an outbreak was manifested during the day. Last night 100 sentinels were patrolling the streets in the immediate vicinity of the jail. Each soldier carried forty rounds of ammunition.

Sheriff Whitlock, in giving his version of the shooting into the mob, said:

Crowd Fired on the Sheriff.

"After I saw from the jail that the mob was determined to attack, I went to the veranda and attempted to talk to the mob. As I stepped into view of the crowd, two bullets were fired, one striking the wall back of me. I fired two shots into the air. Some one shouted that I was only bluffing and was shooting blank cartridges. I warned the mob I would resist an attack on the jail with powder and lead. There was another shot from the mob and it surged forward. I then fired a shot from my shotgun into their legs. This drove them back, but they returned a moment later to the attack of the front door. I was alarmed for the safety of my wife and children. My wife took a gun and said she would stand by me. I got her and the children out of the way, and then as the leaders were coming with a rail to batter down the walls, I shot along the rail to make them drop it. This accounts for so many being shot in the hands and arms. I fired eight or ten shots in all."

Sheriff Whitlock had four deputies and three constables with him in the jail guarding the prisoners. He says none fired into the mob but himself.

Situation Is Strained.

There are all sorts of rumors afloat and a strained situation is noticeable. But the 200 soldiers here, it is believed, will prevent further outbreaks for the present at least. Half of these will be on duty all the time. Leading citizens say the outbreak has been expected for a long time, as bitter feeling has existed for several years between the negroes and a certain class of white persons. A number of minor outbreaks have occurred during the past year.

The feeling against the soldiers is noticeable. The commissary department had much trouble getting restaurants to serve meals. Many refused to feed soldiers.

There was one clash between the guard and a miner named Ed Liggett, who began abusing the guard. The soldier leveled his bayonet and Liggett was arrested and fined \$100. Four other companies of the regiment are under arms at Springfield awaiting orders. Crowds gathered during the day near the lines and cursed the soldiers in several instances. Officers of the guard do not participate any attack, however. The general belief is that the presence of the troops has suppressed the lawless element. The

sheriff and military officers have urged all citizens to remain off the streets. All saloons have been ordered closed indefinitely.

Metcalf, the negro who was killed and burned Saturday night, had lived at Evansville for the last two years and was a recent refugee from that city, where he participated in the riots of a few weeks ago.

The trouble originated in an attempt by the mob to lynch a negro named James Wilson, who confessed to a brutal assault on Mrs. Thomas Burgess, wife of a farmer at Alton, Ill.

STRIKES STREET CAR

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN IN COL-
LISION WITH CAR AND THREE
ARE KILLED.

East St. Louis, Ill., July 27.—An accommodation train on the Vandallia en route to St. Louis, ran into a well-filled electric car on the East St. Louis and Suburban street railway near Lansdown, three miles north of here, Sunday, killing three persons and injuring a score.

The dead are: John Roy, engineer; J. J. Lenhardt and David H. Beattie. The injured are: Vincent Higgins, fireman, will die; Charles Burkhardt, motorman, seriously; R. W. Miller, electric conductor, seriously; Mrs. Mamie King, Louis Merkel, G. W. Young, Simon Spaulding, Jacob Schilling, Mrs. Allen Mack, Jacob Lenhardt, Jr., Elmer Bell, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King and Miss Anne Somers. Eight others received minor injuries.

The crash of the collision was terrific and was heard a long distance. The accommodation train was drawn by an engine which was backing, and was running at a good speed, when suddenly the tender of the engine crashed into the trolley car at the street crossing. The car was hurled from its track, a mass of wreckage. The impact caused the coaches to break loose from the engine and they did not leave the track, but the engine left the rails, ran about 200 feet over the ties, and turned over on its side. Engineer Roy and Fireman Higgins stuck to the engine and were buried in the wreckage.

The cause of the collision has not been determined.

AFTER A DETECTIVE.

Crowd at Foster, Pa., Attempts to
Lynch John Peel.

Scranton, Pa., July 27.—An attempt to lynch John Peel, a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company detective, was made Saturday night at Foster by a crowd of the villagers who were infuriated upon learning that he had gained evidence which would connect a score of the families of the village with wholesale thievery of brass and other junk from the company's property.

Peel was attacked at a hotel while waiting for a train. When the mob made its attack with cries of "lynch him," the detective drew his revolver and began pulling the trigger, but there was something wrong with the mechanism of the hammer and the cartridges were not exploded.

Peel gained the waiting room and locked himself in. Word was telegraphed to this city and a force of twenty-five officers was hastily recruited to be sent to the detective's rescue. In the meantime a passenger train arrived and the crew, acting under telegraphic orders from this city, quit the train and after a hard fight, succeeded in getting the detective on the train.

The ringleader of the mob is said to be one of the leading citizens of the town.

TWO TRAINMEN KILLED.

Open Swith Wrecks the Westbound
Santa Fe Limited.

Peoria, Ill., July 27.—The Santa Fe Limited No. 5 out of Chicago for the West, was wrecked at the crossing of the Rock Island near Princeville Saturday night. The accident resulted from an open switch. Engineer Ed O'Brien and Fireman Charles Vogel, both of Madison, Ia., were instantly killed. Express Messenger R. L. B. Budway and his assistant, Ed Parrshall, both of Chicago, sustained minor injuries.

Proctor Makes Reply.

Washington, July 27.—Chairman Proctor of the civil service commission has made reply to the recent letter of Former Postmaster General Smith concerning the latter's attack on his report on the investigation of the Washington postoffice. Mr. Porter's reply is in general a refutation of the allegations of Mr. Smith.

WOMEN ARE CREMATED.

Thirty-three Female Field Laborers
Put to Death in Russia.

London, July 27.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail sends a report to the effect that near the village of Schalafka, in the district of the Don, thirty-three female field laborers were burned to death in a barn where they had locked themselves in to escape molestation by male laborers who, in revenge, fired the barn and watched the burning without heeding the shrieks of the victims.

Montana Sheepmen Up in Arms.

Big Timber, Mont., July 27.—The sheepmen of Bridger Creek country are up in arms as a result of the burning of one of the largest sheep camps and pen — action, believed by sheepmen — work of cattlemen.

CROWDS AT CHURCH

THOUSANDS VISIT ST. PETER'S
TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE LATE
POPE LEO.

WILL OF THE PONTIFF READ

MAKES NO MATERIAL CHANGE
IN DISPOSITION OF FAMILY
PROPERTY.

Rome, July 27.—Several thousand of the faithful crowded St. Peter's Sunday to pay tribute before the sarcophagus containing the remains of the late pontiff, on which is the following simple inscription in gilded letters: "Leo XIII. pont. max."

finned in the chapel of the sacrament, as well as many Roman churches. The will of Leo was read Sunday. While nominally leaving the estate of Carpineto to his nephew, Ledovico Pecci, it really makes no change, as the whole family property, amounting approximately to \$120,000, had already been divided among the three nephews, Count Camillo having already sold his share.

At the sixth meeting of the congregation of cardinals held Sunday, forty-five cardinals were present. Cardinal Della Volpe, versing also the opinions of some of his colleagues, criticized the ceremonies in connection with the interment of Leo XIII Saturday night because the cardinals did not participate in the entire procession and complained generally of the lack of order. Cardinal Gregalia replied that he had already noticed this and that he would punish those who were responsible. Monsignor Merry del Val, communicated to the cardinals the report from Santiago, Chile, of the incident which occurred there during the celebration of the requiem for the late pope, which was attended by the president of the republic and all the authorities.

One Discordant Note.

According to the report, Monsignor Uguarte, in delivering the eulogy upon the late pontiff, protested against the usurpation of papal territory by Italy, whereupon Count Cuccchi Boasso left the church and lowered the Italian flag which had been hoisted at the legation as a sign of mourning. The incident produced an unpleasant impression upon the sacred college, being the first discordant note in the universal mourning.

The ceremonial of the conclave established by Gregory XV is to be followed at the coming meeting. The cardinals decided during the conclave to eat in common in order to facilitate their work. A local paper quotes the response of Cardinal Svampa to a question as to whether he believed the conclave would be of lengthy duration, as follows:

"On the contrary, I think it will be very short. I believe that two days will suffice to reach an agreement."

The congregation again Sunday made further progress with the arrangements for the conclave. Cardinal Gibbons arrived during the day, but did not attend the meeting.

A wall is being built around the apartments where the conclave will be held. It is already ten feet high.

Some of the Italian bookmakers here proposed to conduct public betting on the chances of the papal candidates, and in order to obtain permission to do so offered to donate their gains to charitable institutions. The government however, promptly refused the request.

MYSTERIOUS TRAGEDY.

Unknown Woman and Man Killed in
a New York Hotel.

New York, July 27.—A well dressed man, accompanied by a fine looking and handsomely gowned woman about twenty-three years of age, registered at the Morton House Sunday morning as "C. Weiss and wife, Syracuse, N. Y." Late in the afternoon the woman was heard shrieking, three shots followed instantly and when the room was entered she and the man were found dead. The woman had a bullet in her heart and another in her left wrist. The man was shot in the heart. A pistol lay by the man's right hand and it is believed by the police that he shot the woman and then committed suicide. There is no clue as to the motive for the shooting.

The woman was five feet four inches in height, with black hair and blue eyes. The man was six feet tall, with a sandy moustache and reddish hair. In the man's pockets were found two tickets from Syracuse and a letter addressed to C. E. Weiss, the contents of which the coroner refused to divulge.

A New Mosquito.

Residents of Montclair, N. J., and other capitals of mosquitoes were recently agitated by the announcement that State Entomologist John B. Smith of New Jersey had discovered a hitherto unknown mosquito, says the New York American. It is described as small, but ten times more sanguinary than the ordinary bloodsucker, and is distinguished by antennae that curve backward. Instead of a pair of wings this insect is triple winged on each side and does not sing when busy, as do most of the tribe. This formidable enemy of man is said to have been cradled in the Hoboken marshes, but to have wandered far and wide.

CONFESSES TO MURDER.

Iowa Woman Says She Killed a Medicine Vender in Utah.

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 27.—A young woman giving the name of Mrs. Aurora Hodge, her age nineteen, and her home Denison, Ia., entered the office of Superintendent of Police Carr Sunday and said she wanted to give herself up, declaring she had killed a man near Salt Lake, Utah, in July last. She said she had parted from her husband a few months after their marriage and went on the road with a traveling medicine vender as his book-keeper.

"When on a lonely road near Salt Lake, July 11," she said, "the attempted to assault me and I shot him with a revolver I had been carrying. I left him in the wagon and went to Salt Lake to give myself up, but my nerve failed and I took a train for Denison. I told my brother and when he went to tell the authorities I fled to Chicago. There I secured a position as waitress in a Spring Lake (Mich.) hotel, but could not rest with it on my mind, so I came to Grand Rapids to give myself up."

Mrs. Hodge refused to tell the name of the man she killed. Chief Carr is investigating and the woman is in jail.

A telegram late last night from Acting Chief of Police Burbridge of Salt Lake confirms Mrs. Hodge's story, states that there is a warrant for her arrest for murder, and asks that she be held for the Salt Lake authorities. The name of the murdered man is given as William X. Ryan.

KEARSARGE AT BAR HARBOR.

Battleship Travels Nearly Three Thousand Miles in Less Than Ten Days.

Bar Harbor, Me., July 27.—The United States battleship Kearsarge arrived at Bar Harbor at 5:42 p. m. Sunday and dropped anchor in the upper harbor at 6:13. A large crowd that had waited all day for the event, watched the vessel enter the harbor and drop anchor near the battleship Illinois. When interviewed, Captain Hemphill expressed surprise that their trip should be of interest to others outside of the navy department. He said: "We left the Needles at 1:25 p. m. on Friday, July 17, and Mount Desert Rock at 12:30 Sunday, covering the distance of 2,900 miles in nine days, 4 1/2 hours, an average speed of 13.16 miles an hour."

The highest speed attained was a little over 15 knots an hour and the lowest was 10. Three times during the trip the ship was slowed down, once on account of being in the vicinity of an iceberg and twice on account of a very thick fog. Head winds and thick weather retarded the speed of the ship and under favorable conditions she would have covered the distance in less than nine days.

CATHOLICS IN CONVENTION.

Organize a State Federation of Societies in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, July 27.—The Wisconsin State Federation of Catholic societies was organized in Milwaukee Sunday. The feature of the new convention was an address by Bishop Messmer of Green Bay. The following officers were selected: President, G. T. Moehke, Outagamie; first vice president, Otto P. Seifert, Milwaukee; second vice president, Daniel H. Martin, Brown; secretary, Joseph H. Carney, Milwaukee; treasurer, M. A. Jacobs, Dodge; marshal, Charles B. Miller, La Crosse.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Sir John Rigny, formerly British lord justice of appeals, is dead in London.

Extreme hot weather prevailed throughout Nebraska and Western Iowa Sunday.

A Vienna paper asserts that the new king of Servia is plotting to acquire Bulgaria.

In a fight among negroes at Providence, Ky., five negroes were shot, some of them fatally.

Heavy rains Saturday night over the south of England caused serious floods and great damage in London.

Three men were injured by the Big Four's flyer striking a freight train near Wellington, O. Sunday.

Former Congressman John M. Clancy, one of the most widely known Democratic politicians in Brooklyn, is dead at Butte, Mont.

There is much excitement in Jackson, Ky., over an attempt to assassinate Riley Coldiron Saturday night. Coldiron testified against Curtiss Jett.

James Casey, a deputy constable, was killed at San Andreas, Cal., by Julius Demartini, a woodchopper whom he had arrested for creating a disturbance.

Congressman Robert H. Foerster of the Fourth Pennsylvania district died at his home in Torresdale Sunday. He had been ill for some time from a complication of diseases.

Four men charged, with having assaulted and killed Gertie Gibson, aged nine years, at Bloomfield, Mo., were taken to St. Louis, a mob having attempted to take the four prisoners by force at Bloomfield and lynch them.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.
At Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 1.
At Cincinnati, 2; Pittsburgh, 5.
American League.
At Chicago, 0; Detroit, 1. Second game—Chicago, 4; Detroit, 2.
At St. Louis, 5; Cleveland, 3.
American Association.
At Minneapolis, 11; Indianapolis, 10.
At Milwaukee, 2; Toledo, 1.
At Kansas City, 2; Columbus, 1. Second game—Kansas City, 5; Columbus, 3.
At St. Paul, 6; Louisville, 4.

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You can check your baby at the state fair and be relieved from all responsibility. This will be an inducement to many to attend.

THE treasury of Itasca county has just been replenished with coin, the amount of \$4,500 having been exacted from the blind piggers operating in that vicinity.

THE St. Paul divine who made the statement that more drunkenness is caused by poverty than poverty by drunkenness should have added that the gold cure is the remedy for both.

GOLD has been discovered in the Grand Rapids Magnet office—but not enough to salt a mine with. These gold finds are becoming altogether too numerous, still if the discoveries are confined to the newspaper offices there will be no objection.

AFTER this year the new law relating to the distribution of the apportionment of the tax paid by foreign insurance companies doing business in the state will take effect and the entire two per cent will go to the firemen and none to the state treasury, only half this amount being apportioned under the old law. Every city and village fire department in the state participates in this distribution which is made on a pro rata system according to the proportion of the insurance business of the state which is done in its own town. In cities having department relief associations the money goes to those organizations but otherwise to the city government for the benefit of the fire department. The aggregate amount of the apportionment this year, representing one-half, the amount of the taxes collected is \$45,449.32. Of this amount Minneapolis share is \$14,562.60 and Hamburg 61 cents—being the two extremes.

There Should be no Change.

A discussion of the order of the president for a reopening and rehearing in the Cass Lake land office matter has been going on in the newspapers during the past two weeks and it strikes the DISPATCH, as it does the other papers in Northern Minnesota in a position to know something of the circumstances, that the office should remain where it has been located. The presidential order was promulgated and there should have been no interference to stop the carrying into effect of that order. Cass Lake was named as the location for the new land office, two gentlemen were appointed as officials, clerks were sent there and on July 1 the office was opened for business.

Under ordinary circumstances the fact of the opening of the office would seem to indicate that it was to remain where it was located, but if the attempt of a few ambitious land attorneys of Bemidji are successful it will be moved from where it was located by presidential proclamation. There was no undue haste in locating the office at Cass Lake and the matter was fully discussed and argued before the commissioner of the

general land office at Washington. Both Cass Lake and Bemidji had representatives there and all that could be said by either side was said at that time and in addition to that the commissioner had a special agent over the territory before making his decision and it is evident that he must have been fully cognizant of the advantages of Cass Lake over Bemidji before coming to the conclusion he did.

The consensus of opinion of the press of northern Minnesota on this subject is all in favor of Cass Lake and many of the editors have visited that country recently and speak from a personal knowledge. A study of the geography of the new land district shows that Cass Lake is as near the center of the district as any place can be. While Bemidji has a large territory tributary to it on the north it is known to be composed of swamp land that will not be settled on. All the land in the Chippewa reservation that is to be thrown open to homestead settlement is certainly nearer Cass Lake than it is to Bemidji, which is but 18 miles from the extreme western boundary of the district. Deer River and Grand Rapids seem to be well pleased with the location of the office at Cass Lake and claim that it meets with the approval of the number of settlers of northern Itasca county who can reach Cass Lake very handily by river and at a very small expense.

If the public welfare is to be subserved the office will not be moved from Cass Lake, but if the desire of a few townsie boomers and real estate speculators are to be gratified then Bemidji may succeed in getting the commissioner of the general land office to change his mind.

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BRIGHTER FOR CANAL.

Reaction in Favor of the Ratification of the Treaty.

Panama, Colombia, July 27.—A strong reaction in favor of the ratification of the canal treaty seems to be occurring throughout Colombia. From all the principal cities and from Cauca, the largest department of the republic, prominent citizens have telegraphed congress requesting that the treaty be ratified.

Violated Contract Labor Laws.

Duluth, July 25.—Thirty laborers, who arrived in Duluth Friday from Port Arthur on the steamer America, were turned back by the local customs officials, as the men were brought in in violation of the contract labor law. They were on their way to Montana to work for the Great Northern railroad, under contract.

Oldest Mason in Minnesota Dead.

St. Paul, July 25.—Matthew Craig, the oldest member of the Free and Independent Order of Masons in Minnesota and probably in the United States, died, aged ninety years, at his home, 551 Selby avenue, yesterday. Mr. Craig had been a member of the Masons since 1844, and was a charter member of St. Paul lodge.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN OHIO.

Two Dead and One Wounded as a Result of Jealousy.

Bucyrus, O., July 2.—Charles Kent, a bartender, last night shot and killed Mrs. Len Renzell and wounded John Sawyer and then killed himself because he was jealous of Sawyer. Kent recently eloped with Mrs. Renzell, who owned a saloon.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Harry Katz left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

C. M. Patek left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

Mrs. J. F. Dykeman and family have returned from their outing.

Miss Ouida Stinehour and brother have returned from Staples.

The Brainerd Glee club returned from Minneapolis Sunday morning.

Judge Holman, of Pequot, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. William Martin left for her home in Duluth this afternoon.

Vern White left for St. Paul today where he will work for a short time.

Dr. Jump returned last night from the west where he has been on a visit.

Louis Schaeffer, of Kansas City has accepted a position at Mahoney's bakery.

Mrs. McCarvel, of Deerwood, was in the city today for a short time on business.

F. M. Butler, the Motley druggist, was in the city for a short time today on business.

Tomorrow night the members of the C. O. F. will give a dancing party in Elks' hall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cary returned this afternoon from Pillager where they spent Sunday.

J. Biever is building a 20x24 foot addition and will brick veneer the whole store building.

Mrs. W. A. Durham and Mrs. Bondy left this afternoon for Deerwood for a few day's outing.

C. B. White left this afternoon for Cass Lake where he will figure on some new residences to be built there.

Miss Ida McCauley, of Little Falls, who has been visiting Mrs. C. H. Kylo, returned to her home this afternoon.

Miss Georgia Vanderslice returned to her home in Duluth yesterday after visiting friends in the city several days.

S. L. Tucker, of Minneapolis, a conductor on the Soo, is visiting in the city with his brother, C. W. Tucker, of the M. & I.

Mrs. Skauge and daughter, of Albert Lea, mother and sister of Olaf Skauge, the druggist, arrived in the city today for a visit.

Mrs. Sunberg left this afternoon for Superior where she was called by the very serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. S. F. Alderman and son and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Smith and daughter returned this afternoon from Walker where they spent Sunday.

Bert Hines, an old Brainerd boy, but now of Chicago, is in the city visiting with old friends. He is now with an air brake concern in the east.

Will Koop returned this morning from Bemidji where he saw the ball game between the Grand Forks and St. Cloud teams. St. Cloud won by a score of 9 to 5.

Chas. Wittin of St. Paul and William Wittig, of Indiana, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Theviot, left on No. 6 for St. Paul.

Mrs. G. Deziel, of Minneapolis, an old friend of Mrs. Benjamin, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Sylvan where she will enjoy an outing for a short time.

Mrs. J. P. Woods, of Rogers, Ark., mother-in-law of Dr. Groves, who has been visiting in the city for a few days left this afternoon for St. Paul where she will visit a son.

W. A. Abrahamson, proprietor of the Hub Shoe & Clothing store, Duluth, arrived today to meet his wife here and go out to Mille Lacs lake tomorrow with A. Mark's family.

Two young men are reported to have fought a prize fight, according to Queensbury rules, in the park on Saturday night. The contest was due to the favor of a fair one it is said.

Dr. Camp left for St. Paul this afternoon where he will meet with the commission appointed by the governor to look into the feasibility of building a sanatorium at Walker for consumptives.

For the benefit of the M. E. church debt, which is about to be paid off, the Epworth League will give an ice cream social tomorrow, Tuesday, afternoon and evening at the home of W. Rogers corner of Bluff and 7th.

J. Castlegreen, who works at the shops had the misfortune to drop a little sulphuric acid in his eye this noon and had to be taken to the N. P. Sanitarium where it is thought he will be laid up for some time.

It seems that the report of the suicide of William Hemore, who formerly lived in this city, was unfounded. It was rumored on the streets that he had taken poison at Bemidji. Reports from there, however, do not verify this statement.

Capt. A. E. Veon while at Bemidji attending the G. A. R. encampment organized a Sons of Veterans camp and it starts out under very auspicious circumstances. There are thirty-five charter members and a likelihood of a great many more members in a short time.

TRAITS OF LEO XIII.

Incidents Portraying the Late Pontiff's Character.

GENEROUS AND KIND TO THE POOR

His Gentle Reproof of an Empress Who Criticized His Lavish Charities—How He Helped the Poor of Italy in a Famine—Samples of His Repartee—Why He Took the Name of Leo.

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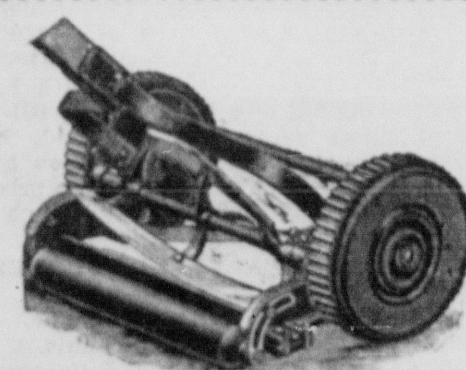
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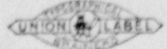
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Weather

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CHARLEY TOWNE is running close to the democratic presidential possibility—he's a receptive candidate and willing to be sacrificed.

You can check your baby at the state fair and be relieved from all responsibility. This will be an inducement to many to attend.

The treasury of Itasca county has just been replenished with coin, the amount of \$4,500 having been exacted from the blind piggers operating in that vicinity.

The St. Paul divine who made the statement that more drunkenness is caused by poverty than poverty by drunkenness should have added that the gold cure is the remedy for both.

Gold has been discovered in the Grand Rapids Magnet office—but not enough to salt a mine with. These gold finds are becoming altogether too numerous, still if the discoveries are confined to the newspaper offices there will be no objection.

AFTER this year the new law relating to the distribution of the apportionment of the tax paid by foreign insurance companies doing business in the state will take effect and the entire two per cent will go to the firemen and none to the state treasury, only half this amount being apportioned under the old law. Every city and village fire department in the state participates in this distribution which is made on a pro rata system according to the proportion of the insurance business of the state which is done in its own town. In cities having department relief associations the money goes to those organizations but otherwise to the city government for the benefit of the fire department. The aggregate amount of the apportionment this year, representing one-half, the amount of the taxes collected is \$45,449.32. Of this amount Minneapolis' share is \$14,562.90 and Hamburg 61 cents—being the two extremes.

There Should be no Change.

A discussion of the order of the president for a reopening and rehearing in the Cass Lake land office matter has been going on in the newspapers during the past two weeks and it strikes the DISPATCH, as it does the other papers in Northern Minnesota in a position to know something of the circumstances, that the office should remain where it has been located. The presidential order was promulgated and there should have been no interference to stop the carrying into effect of that order. Cass Lake was named as the location for the new land office, two gentlemen were appointed as officials, clerks were sent there and on July 1 the office was opened for business.

Under ordinary circumstances the fact of the opening of the office would seem to indicate that it was to remain where it was located, but if the attempt of a few ambitious land attorneys of Bemidji are successful it will be moved from where it was located by presidential proclamation. There was no undue haste in locating the office at Cass Lake and the matter was fully discussed and argued before the commissioner of the

general land office at Washington. Both Cass Lake and Bemidji had representatives there and all that could be said by either side was said at that time and in addition to that the commissioner had a special agent over the territory before making his decision and it is evident that he must have been fully cognizant of the advantages of Cass Lake over Bemidji before coming to the conclusion he did.

The consensus of opinion of the press of northern Minnesota on this subject is all in favor of Cass Lake and many of the editors have visited that country recently and speak from a personal knowledge. A study of the geography of the new land district shows that Cass Lake is as near the center of the district as any place can be. While Bemidji has a large territory tributary to it on the north it is known to be composed of swamp land that will not be settled on. All the land in the Chippewa reservation that is to be thrown open to homestead settlement is certainly nearer Cass Lake than it is to Bemidji, which is but 18 miles from the extreme western boundary of the district. Deer River and Grand Rapids seem to be well pleased with the location of the office at Cass Lake and claim that it meets with the approval of the number of settlers of northern Itasca county who can reach Cass Lake very handsily by river and at a very small expense.

If the public welfare is to be subserved the office will not be moved from Cass Lake, but if the desire of a few townsites boomers and real estate speculators are to be gratified then Bemidji may succeed in getting the commissioner of the general land office to change his mind.

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BRIGHTER FOR CANAL.

Reaction in Favor of the Ratification of the Treaty.

Panama, Colombia, July 27.—A strong reaction in favor of the ratification of the canal treaty seems to be occurring throughout Colombia. From all the principal cities and from Cauca, the largest department of the republic, prominent citizens have telegraphed congress requesting that the treaty be ratified.

Violated Contract Labor Laws.

Duluth, July 25.—Thirty laborers, who arrived in Duluth Friday from Port Arthur on the steamer America, were turned back by the local customs officials, as the men were brought in in violation of the contract labor law. They were on their way to Montana to work for the Great Northern railroad, under contract.

Oldest Mason in Minnesota Dead.

St. Paul, July 25.—Matthew Craig, the oldest member of the Free and Independent Order of Masons in Minnesota and probably in the United States, died, aged ninety years, at his home, 551 Selby avenue, yesterday. Mr. Craig had been a member of the Masons since 1844, and was a charter member of St. Paul lodge.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN OHIO.

Two Dead and One Wounded as a Result of Jealousy.

Bucyrus, O., July 2.—Charles Kent, a bartender, last night shot and killed Mrs. Lou Renzell and wounded John Sawyer and then killed himself because he was jealous of Sawyer. Kent recently eloped with Mrs. Renzell, who owned a saloon.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Harry Katz left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

C. M. Patek left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

Mrs. J. F. Dykeman and family have returned from their outing.

Miss Ouida Stinehour and brother have returned from Staples.

The Brainerd Glee club returned from Minneapolis Sunday morning.

Judge Holman, of Pequot, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. William Martin left for her home in Duluth this afternoon.

Vern White left for St. Paul today where he will work for a short time.

Dr. Jump returned last night from the west where he has been on a visit.

Louis Schaeffer, of Kansas City has accepted a position at Mahoney's bakery.

Mrs. McCarvel, of Deerwood, was in the city today for a short time on business.

F. M. Butler, the Motley druggist, was in the city for a short time today on business.

Tomorrow night the members of the C. O. F. will give a dancing party in Elks' hall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cary returned this afternoon from Pillager where they spent Sunday.

J. Biever is building a 20x24 foot addition and will brick veneer the whole store building.

Mrs. W. A. Durham and Mrs. Bondy left this afternoon for Deerwood for a few days' outing.

C. B. White left this afternoon for Cass Lake where he will figure on some new residences to be built there.

Miss Ida McCauley, of Little Falls, who has been visiting Mrs. C. H. Kylo, returned to her home this afternoon.

Miss Georgia Vanderslice returned to her home in Duluth yesterday after visiting friends in the city several days.

S. L. Tucker, of Minneapolis, a conductor on the Soo, is visiting in the city with his brother, C. W. Tucker, of the M. & L.

Mrs. Skauge and daughter, of Albert Lea, mother and sister of Olaf Skauge, the druggist, arrived in the city today for a visit.

Mrs. Sunberg left this afternoon for Superior where she was called by the very serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. S. F. Alderman and son and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Smith and daughter returned this afternoon from Walker where they spent Sunday.

Bert Hines, an old Brainerd boy, but now of Chicago, is in the city visiting with old friends. He is now with an air brake concern in the east.

Will Koop returned this morning from Bemidji where he saw the ball game between the Grand Forks and St. Cloud teams. St. Cloud won by a score of 9 to 5.

Chas. Wittin of St. Paul and William Wittig, of Indiana, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Theviot, left on No. 6 for St. Paul.

Mrs. G. Deziel, of Minneapolis, an old friend of Mrs. Benjamin, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Sylvan where she will enjoy an outing for a short time.

Mrs. J. P. Woods, of Rogers, Ark., mother-in-law of Dr. Groves, who has been visiting in the city for a few days left this afternoon for St. Paul where she will visit a son.

W. A. Abrahamson, proprietor of the Hub Shoe & Clothing store, Duluth, arrived today to meet his wife here and go out to Mille Laacs lake tomorrow with A. Mark's and family.

Two young men are reported to have fought a prize fight, according to Queensbury rules, in the park on Saturday night. The contest was due to the favor of a fair one it is said.

Dr. Camp left for St. Paul this afternoon where he will meet with the commission appointed by the governor to look into the feasibility of building a sanatorium at Walker for consumptives.

For the benefit of the M. E. church debt, which is about to be paid off, the Epworth League will give an ice cream social tomorrow, Tuesday, afternoon and evening at the home of W. Rogers corner of Bluff and 7th.

J. Castlegreen, who works at the shops had the misfortune to drop a little sulphuric acid in his eye this noon and had to be taken to the N. P. Sanatorium where it is thought he will be laid up for some time.

It seems that the report of the suicide of William Hemore, who formerly lived in this city, was unfounded. It was rumored on the streets that he had taken poison at Bemidji. Reports from there, however, do not verify this statement.

Capt. A. E. Veon while at Bemidji attending the G. A. R. encampment organized a Sons of Veterans camp and it starts out under very auspicious circumstances. There are thirty-five charter members and a likelihood of a great many more members in a short time.

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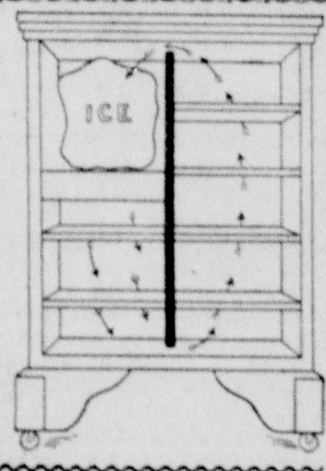
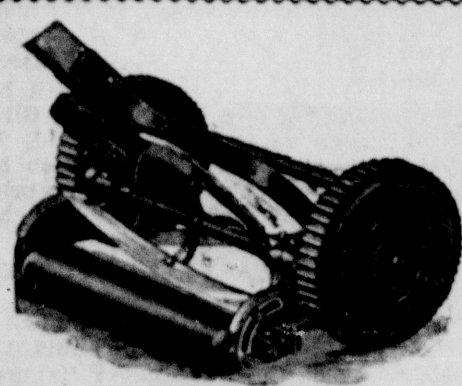
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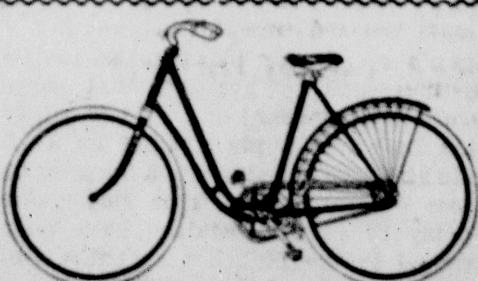
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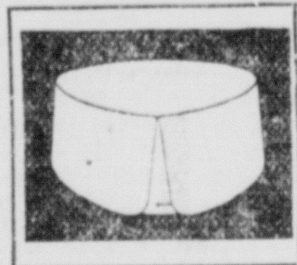
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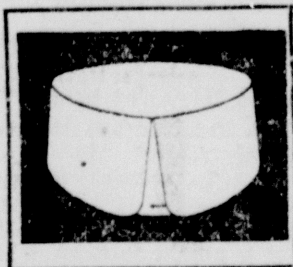
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A VERY COMPLICATED CASE

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Judge McClenahan has decided the case of August Luckow vs T. J. Tyler, which was submitted in chambers some time ago, and finds for the plaintiff.

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Wheat—	76	75
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Lowest.....	76	75
Closing.....	76 3/4	75 3/4

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Sept wheat.....	80	78 1/2
Dec. ".....		78 3/4
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No. 1 Hard.....	88 1/4
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No. 2 Northern.....	85
No. 3 Yellow Corn.....	52 1/4
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No. 4 Corn.....	49 to 51
No. 3 White Oats.....	33 to 34
No. 3 Oats.....	30 to 32
Barley.....	35 to 45
No. 2 Rye.....	47 to 47 1/2
Flax to arrive.....	36
July.....	36
Sept.....	37

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EVENTS IN LEO'S LIFE.

How the Pontiff Learned to
Read and Write.

HIS GREAT PENCHANT FOR POETRY

Constructed a Play While a Boy
That Was Acted by His School-
fellows—How He Was Saved From
an Anarchist—His Economy in Man-
aging the Vatican Vineyard and
Garden.

As a boy, tradition describes Leo
XIII. as a plump faced, pretty child,
with a good complexion and a voice so
musical as to earn for him the title of
"Little Nightingale." Reading he had
learned from an old aunt; writing he
had taught himself by copying type,
says the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Out of his recollections of the "Ilud"
he constructed a kind of play composed
of scenes tacked together, with couplets
of his own, and this was acted by
his schoolfellows, the gardener being
cast for the part of Ajax.

Making verse composition has been
a pastime with Leo XIII. All his por-
traits represent him wearing a sunny
smile, and it was the same spirit that
animated most of his poetry.

It was two years later than the time
when he wrote his ode on death that
he wrote a long poem on diet, in which
he reproved gluttony. It contained not
less than eighty stanzas, and here is a
free prose translation of a few of them:
"Pay attention before all to clean-
liness, that the table appointments
may be spotless, the glass bright and
the napery immaculate, and that from
the cellar comes the purest wine of the
Albanian hills, which exhilarates the
spirits and keeps away troubles; but
don't trust Bacchus, so don't be frugal
in diluting wine with water.

"Obtain from healthy grain well
cooked bread. Eat sparingly of chicken,
lamb and beef, which are most
nourishing to the body. Meat should
be tender and without abundant sauces
or root vegetables, which spoil it.

"Fresh eggs are excellent whether
raw or slightly cooked. Drink an
abundant quantity of foaming milk.
It nourishes infants and assists old
age. So also is honey, that celestial
gift, but of this frugally.

"Add to these sweet herbs, fresh
vegetables and garden supplies. Add
ripe fruit, according to season, espe-
cially tender apples, which, with their
pink tints, brighten the banquet.

"Lastly comes drink, which in hard
seeds of mocha sends you softly slip-
ping black liquor that comforts the heart."

Like many another good man, not all
of Leo's relatives reflected credit upon
the Pecci family. There was at least
one black sheep in the person of a
nephew—a reckless gambler, who lost
his own and other people's money at
gambling and contracted heavy debts,
raising a very offensive scandal. The
pope footed the bills for the sake of his
family and sent the scapegrace and his
wife to Cuba. A few years ago the
young man begged piteously for per-
mission to return, making all sorts of
promises of reform. But Leo knew this
kinsman's weakness and sternly re-
fused.

A well known continental skeptic
once had an audience with Pope Leo at
the Vatican.

"It is not my place to come between
you and your God," said the pope to
his visitor. "I cannot urge you to see
him as I see him. That rests with
your own good judgment and the
promptings of your intelligence."

"I now almost wish I could believe
in Christianity," remarked the skeptic,
in telling of the conversation, "that I
might become a Catholic."

Three years ago the Vatican soldiery
rendered a real service to Leo XIII. by
capturing an anarchist who had con-
cealed himself in the shrubbery of the
Vatican garden. The pope was kept in
ignorance of the incident. A slight
noise betrayed the fellow's presence,
and he was found armed with a dick
and a revolver.

He admitted that he was lying in
wait to attack the pontiff and de-
nounced the holy father as a "spir-
itual giant keeping millions of men in
thralldom." The prisoner was turned
over to the Italian authorities.

Leo has kept a careful watch over
his garden, his vineyard and his dairy.
The oldest he grew the more economical
he became in husbanding the Vatican's
small material resources. The knowl-
edge of vine growing acquired in his
youth he put to good use in the Vatican
grounds.

While walking through the garden
one day early in his reign he saw a
servant gathering oranges and lemons
and asked him what he was going to
do with the fruit.

"Distribute them among cardinals
and high prelates," was the reply.
"That is the traditional custom of the
Vatican."

"Indeed!" said the new pope. "Then
it shall be the custom no longer."

The next day he issued an order that
in the absence of special commands
the Vatican fruit should be sold, and
it has been sold ever since.

The wine that supplies the papal ta-
ble is pressed from grapes grown from
vines planted by Leo himself. Milk is
furnished by cows and goats on the
Vatican grounds.

An enterprising firm once offered the
pope a fabulous sum for the right to
put the Vatican wine on the market as
"Leonine wine." The offer was indig-
nantly refused. Leo was determined
not to become known as "the commer-
cial pope."

WHEN ROOSEVELT CUSSSED

Former Ranch Mate Tells a Story
About the President.

William Thompson Dantz, editor and
proprietor of the West Grove Independ-
ent, was in West Chester, Pa., the other
day, and he talked of the days when he
and President Roosevelt were camp
mates on a ranch in North Dakota, on
the Montana line, says the Philadelphia
Press.

In substance he said:
"We cowboys were glad to have Ted-
dy with us, for he was a charming
ranch fellow. We all saw in him that
which forecasted a brilliant future, and
while he was one of us in our hardships
and sports I never heard him use a
'cuss' word but once, and that was un-
der circumstances of a very exasperat-
ing character.

"We had been hard at work with the
cattle all day, and when we got them
fairly well corralled for the night, as
we thought, he and I turned in for a
rest under a good, waterproof blanket
and were soon fast asleep. In about an
hour one of our fellow cowboys
aroused us, saying that the cattle had
broken out and were scattering and we
were needed to give a hand in bring-
ing them back.

"I rolled out of the blanket all right.
Teddy, who was lying on his back, was
less fortunate. He raised his knees,
and this act dumped a good sized puddle
of water which had collected in a depression
of the blanket into his face and down into his shirt
front, which was unbuttoned. The water
was cold, and the future president
of the United States let fall an expletive
or two not found in Sunday school
books, but that was all, and quicker
than it takes to tell he had shaken
himself, mounted his horse and was
off in quest of the unruly cattle."

INCOME OF LEO XIII.

Received Yearly \$1,250,000 as Pon-
tiff—Private Estate Small.

The late Leo XIII. was not rich.
As pontiff he received an annual in-
come of \$1,250,000. Investments of the
papal funds made by Pope Pius IX.
brought in some \$250,000 a year. Pe-
ter's pence yielded some \$350,000 more.
From offerings made by pilgrims, etc., an
average of \$200,000 annually pro-
ceeded. From Catholic sovereigns and
wealthy religious orders came dona-
tions of \$200,000 more, and from offer-
ings by those admitted to special au-
diences another quarter of a million,
says the New York News.

But when it is considered that the
expenses of the Vatican alone are
\$2,000 to \$3,000 a day, and that the
pope pays the nuncios and legates at
foreign courts, besides subscribing lib-
erally to Roman charities, the income
is little or none greater than the ex-
penditure.

Pope Leo, out of his own invest-
ments, drew a certain income, but
though his personal expenditures were
less than \$5 a day, he has saved only
a trifle. Such expensive works as the
establishment and maintenance of a
hospital and schools—with breakfast
for the pupils, by the way—in his na-
tive town and like good works estab-
lished elsewhere made a great drain
on his income.

The fortune he leaves as pontiff
passes on to his successor. His private
estate will go to his five nephews in
equal parts.

SENATOR'S NEW BEVERAGE.

Invented at Sea, Eugene Hale Calls
It the "Ginger Ale Juice."

Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, who
went over to England on the St. Paul
and came back on the same ship just
for the voyage, the return trip ending
the other day, invented a new bever-
age, says the New York World.

In the party of friends who met often
were Senator Hale, Deputy Surveyor
Bishop of the port of New York, Col-
onel James Elverson, proprietor of the
Philadelphia Inquirer, and Mrs. Elverson;
C. W. Thomas, private secretary of
Clement A. Griscom, Jr.; D. R.
Dwyer and C. E. Heron of the United
States secret service.

On one night the senator sprang his
favorite decoction, a heftful of Scotch
as deep as you like it, fill up with gin-
ger ale and squeeze a lemon. The sen-
ator called it the ginger ale juice.

A Pope's Tiara.

The pope calls himself (1) head of the
Catholic or universal church; (2) sole
arbiter of its rights; (3) sovereign fa-
ther of all the kings of the earth, says
the New York Press. From these as-
sumptions he wears a triple crown, one
as high priest, one as emperor and one
as king. Pope Hormasdas was the
first to place on his bonnet a crown.
Boniface VIII. added a second crown
and John XXII. a third.

A Tribute to Leo XIII.

A peerless soul, white shepherd, lion
leader without stain.
Three hundred millions of thy flock, who
suffered in thy pain,
With other millions drawn by thy great
heart's all winning love,
Weep o'er thy ruler and pray for thee to
him who bles above.

A fearless heart that met the king of ter-
rors with a smile,
Stern foe of wrong, brave friend of right,
stanch hero free from guile,
Be to us wanderers through the night a
brightly guiding star,
Help our tired feet to follow thee, though
weakly and afar.

A mourning world in tears for thee grieves
for its crushing loss
And of thy patience begs a share to bear
the heavy cross,
Yet triumph pulses through our grief be-
cause this world of strife
Is higher, purer, nobler made by thy ex-
alted life.

New strength thou gavest to the weak;
breeds equalled before thy name,
Thy justice, truth and charity have gain-
ed thee deathless fame;
Mankind, by thee uplifted, takes of faith
and hope new lease
And craves for thee a well earned crown,
rest and eternal peace.

—Kent Perkins in New York Evening
Journal.

BORELLI'S COMET.

Garrett P. Serviss Points Out Where
New Solar Visitor May Be Seen.

Borelli's comet has been plainly vi-
sible to the naked eye for several nights
past, and as the moon is inter every
night the conditions for the visibility
of the comet improve, says Garrett P.
Serviss, the astronomer, in the New
York American.

The comet itself is rapidly brighten-
ing, and as it is moving westward and
somewhat northward from the cross in
Cygnus its position is also favorable
for observation. It is nearly overhead
about 11 p. m. Earlier in the evening
it should be looked for in the north-
east.

The naked eye catches sight of it at
once on account of its peculiar appear-
ance—that of a hairy star. The nucleus
is visible as a bright point, and the
haze surrounding it is continually ex-
tending.

With an opera glass the denser part
of the tail near the head can be distin-
guished, but a telescope is needed to
show the bifurcation of the tail, which
is several degrees in length and yet
growing as the comet continues to ap-
proach the sun.

The recent discoveries concerning the
constitution of matter and the subdivi-
sion of atoms lend particular interest
to the phenomena connected with this
comet.

The tail and other nebulous append-
ages of comets are probably composed
of matter very finely divided and in a
highly electrified condition, so that
cometary nucleus throwing off these
emanations may in some respects be
likened to a bit of radium giving off its
streams of disintegrated atoms.

The comet will continue to increase
in brightness, but it cannot yet be said
how bright it will become. It is at
present moving rapidly, so that its
change of place from night to night is
very noticeable. It will be in perihelion
about the 21st of August.

FOOD FOR STARVING INDIA.

Secretary Wilson Aids England's
Colonial Office With Advice.

"Mix rice with ground peas or beans,
and you will have plenty of food for
all. Less food will be required and
greater strength will result."

This is the recipe of Secretary of Ag-
riculture Wilson at Washington, who
has been appealed to for some sugges-
tion of relief for starving India by re-
presentatives of England's colonial sec-
retary, says the Philadelphia Press.
The practical sense of Secretary Wil-
son recommended him as a safe ad-
viser.

The secretary did not require exten-
sive scientific investigation. He first
prepared a statement showing the nu-
trition in rice in comparison with
wheat, oats, barley, corn, peas and
beans. From the reports of the soil in
India he was assured that beans and
peas can be raised in abundance. Mixed
with rice, the result would be a manse
and brain producing food.

NEW TOWER OF DIOGENES.

French Seizes Manufacture to Erect
Structure of Porcelain.

There rose above St. Cloud, near Pa-
ris, before the war of 1870 a sort of
square tower of brick and porcelain
called the "Tower of Diogenes." The
state manufacture of Sevres, in France,
is about to replace this tower—destroyed
in one of the campaigns—by a porce-
lain one, says the Chicago Record-Her-
ald.

The design of the original tower has
just been handed in for the inspection
of the director of fine arts. It will be
composed of white, blue, turquoise, rose,
coral and emerald green china, 30,000
pieces in all being required for its com-
position. The decorations will be both
from the floral and animal kingdom
and will portray the legends of the for-
est of St. Cloud. From its great height
it will overlook Paris.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, July 25.—Wheat—Cash,
86½¢; July, 86½¢; Sept., 75½¢@75¢;
Dec., 74½¢. On track—No. 1 hard,
87½¢; No. 1 Northern, 86½¢; No. 2
Northern, 84½¢@85¢; No. 3 Northern,
81¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, July 25.—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$4.25@5.00; common to
fair, \$3.00@4.00; good to choice cows
and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; veals, \$2.50
@5.00. Hogs—\$5.00@5.60. Sheep—
Good to choice, \$4.00@4.25; lambs,
\$5.50@5.85.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, July 25.—Wheat—In store—
No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 Northern,
85½¢; No. 2 Northern, 84¢. To arrive
—No. 1 hard, 83½¢; No. 1 Northern,
82½¢; No. 2 Northern, 80½¢; July,
85½¢; Sept., 77½¢; Dec., 75½¢@75¢.
Flax—In store, to arrive, on track and
July, 97½¢; Sept., 98¢; Oct. and Nov.,
88½¢.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, July 25.—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$5.25@5.60; poor to me-
dium, \$4.25@5.25; stockers and feed-
ers, \$2.50@4.40; cows, \$1.50@4.50;
heifers, \$2.25@4.75; calves, \$3.00@
6.30. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.40
@5.75; good to choice heavy, \$5.55@
5.70; rough heavy, \$5.25@5.50; light,
\$5.40@5.82½. Sheep—Good to choice,
\$3.75@4.00; Western, \$3.25@4.00; na-
tive lambs, \$3.25@6.25; Western, \$5.40
@6.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, July 25.—Wheat—July,
76½¢; old, 76½¢; Sept., 77¢@77½¢;
old, 77½¢; Dec., 77½¢@77½¢; old,
77½¢; May, 79½¢. Corn—July, 51½¢;
Sept., 50¢@50½¢; Dec., 52½¢; May,
52½¢. Oats—July, 41½¢; Sept., 33½¢;
Dec., 34½¢; May, 36½¢@36½¢. Pork
—July, \$13.55; Sept., \$13.80; Dec.,
\$13.75. Flax—Cash, Northwestern,
96¢; Southwestern, 92¢; July, 90¢;
Sept., 93¢; Dec., 93½¢. Butter—
Creameries, 14¢@15½¢; dairies, 13¢
@17¢. Eggs—11¢@13¢. Poultry—Tur-
keys, 12¢; chickens, 12½¢.

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ROW IN A NEGRO CHURCH.

Two Killed and Six Others Wounded
in a Fight at Camak, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.—A Constitu-
tion special from Camak, Ga., says:
Two killed and six wounded, four of
them, it is believed, fatally, is the re-
sult of a row at a negro church here
last night in which pistols and razors
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town is terrorized as a result of the
affray and it is impossible to learn
the real cause of the trouble.

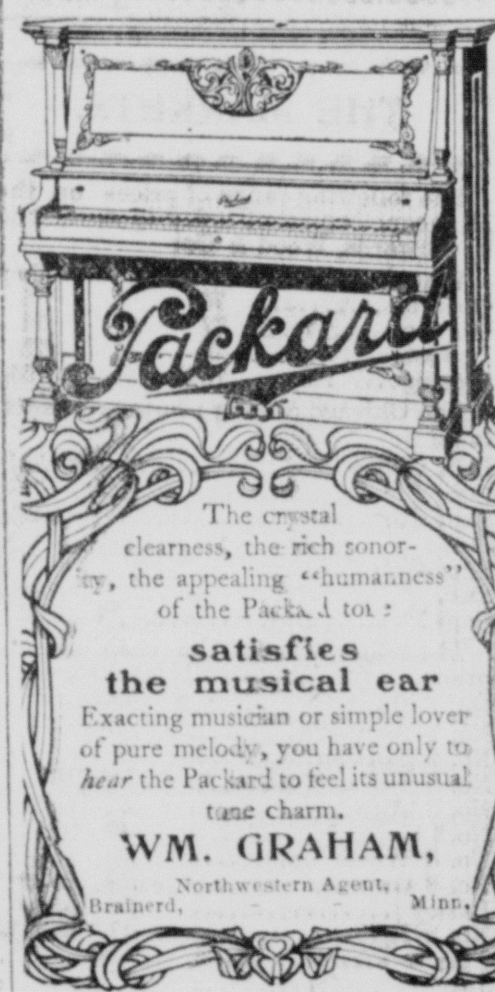
PLEASURE BOAT CAPSIZES.

Three Persons Drowned While Trying
to Cross the Thames River.

New London, Conn., July 27.—Mrs.
C. T. Thorpe, Miss Annabel Rogers and
Samuel Gokel were drowned in the
Thames river Sunday evening, by the
capsizing of a pleasure boat, while at-
tempting to cross the river. Four
other occupants of the boat were saved.

Killed During a Quarrel.

Sault Ste. Marie, July 27.—Mat
Makie, a Finlander, shot and instantly
killed Sam Hall after a quarrel that
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Making verse composition has been a pastime with Leo XIII. All his portraits represent him wearing a sunny smile, and it was the same spirit that animated most of his poetry.

It was two years later than the time when he wrote his ode on death that he wrote a long poem on diet, in which he reproved gluttony. It contained not less than eighty stanzas, and here is a free prose translation of a few of them: "Pay attention before all to cleanliness, that the table appointments may be spotless, the glass bright and the napery immaculate, and that from the cellar comes the purest wine of the Albanian hills, which exhilarates the spirits and keeps away troubles; but don't trust Bacchus, so don't be frugal in diluting wine with water."

"Obtain from healthy grain well cooked bread. Eat sparingly of chicken, lamb and beef, which are most nourishing to the body. Meat should be tender and without abundant sauces or root vegetables, which spoil it. "Fresh eggs are excellent whether raw or slightly cooked. Drink an abundant quantity of forming milk. It nourishes infants and assists old age. So also is honey, that celestial gift, but of this frugally."

"Add to these sweet herbs, fresh vegetables and garden supplies. Add ripe fruit, according to season, especially tender apples, which, with their pink tints, brighten the banquet. "Lastly comes drink, which in hard seeds of mocha sends you softly slipping black liquor that comforts the heart."

Like many another good man, not all of Leo's relatives reflected credit upon the Peci family. There was at least one black sheep in the person of a nephew—a reckless gambler, who lost his own and other people's money at gambling and contracted heavy debts, raising a very offensive scandal. The pope footed the bills for the sake of his family and sent the scapegrace and his wife to Cuba. A few years ago the young man begged pitifully for permission to return, making all sorts of promises of reform. But Leo knew this kinsman's weakness and sternly refused.

A well known continental skeptic once had an audience with Pope Leo at the Vatican.

"It is not my place to come between you and your God," said the pope to his visitor. "I cannot urge you to see him as I see him. That rests with your own good judgment and the promptings of your intelligence."

"I now almost wish I could believe in Christianity," remarked the skeptic, in telling of the conversation, "that I might become a Catholic."

Three years ago the Vatican soldiery rendered a real service to Leo XIII. by capturing an anarchist who had concealed himself in the shrubbery of the Vatican garden. The pope was kept in ignorance of the incident. A slight noise betrayed the fellow's presence, and he was found armed with a dirk and a revolver.

He admitted that he was lying in wait to attack the pontiff and denounced the holy father as a "spiritual giant keeping millions of men in thrall." The prisoner was turned over to the Italian authorities.

Leo has kept a careful watch over his garden, his vineyard and his dairy. The older he grew the more economical he became in husbanding the Vatican's small material resources. The knowledge of vine growing acquired in his youth he put to good use in the Vatican grounds.

While walking through the garden one day early in his reign he saw a servant gathering oranges and lemons and asked him what he was going to do with the fruit.

"Distribute them among cardinals and high prelates," was the reply. "That is the traditional custom of the Vatican."

"Indeed!" said the new pope. "Then it shall be the custom no longer."

The next day he issued an order that in the absence of special commands the Vatican fruit should be sold, and it has been sold ever since.

The wine that supplies the papal table is pressed from grapes grown from vines planted by Leo himself. Milk is furnished by cows and goats on the Vatican grounds.

An enterprising firm once offered the pope a fabulous sum for the right to put the Vatican wine on the market as "Leonine wine." The offer was indignantly refused. Leo was determined not to become known as "the commercial pope."

WHEN ROOSEVELT CUSSSED

Former Ranch Mate Tells a Story
About the President.

William Thompson Dantz, editor and proprietor of the West Grove Independent, was in West Chester, Pa., the other day, and he talked of the days when he and President Roosevelt were camp mates on a ranch in North Dakota, on the Montana line, says the Philadelphia Press. In substance he said:

"We cowboys were glad to have Teddy with us, for he was a charming ranch fellow. We all saw in him that which foretold a brilliant future, and while he was one of us in our hardships and sports I never heard him use a 'cuss' word but once, and that was under circumstances of a very exasperating character."

"We had been hard at work with the cattle all day, and when we got them fairly well corralled for the night, as we thought, he and I turned in for a rest under a good, waterproof blanket and were soon fast asleep. In about an hour one of our fellow cowboys aroused us, saying that the cattle had broken out and were scattering and we were needed to give a hand in bringing them back."

"I rolled out of the blanket all right. Teddy, who was lying on his back, was less fortunate. He raised his knees, and this act dumped a good sized puddle of water which had collected in a depression of the blanket into his face and down into his shirt front, which was unbuttoned. The water was cold, and the future president of the United States let fall an expletive or two not found in Sunday school books, but that was all, and quicker than it takes to tell it he had shaken himself, mounted his horse and was off in quest of the unruly cattle."

INCOME OF LEO XIII.

Received Yearly \$1,250,000 as Pontiff—Private Estate Small.

The late Leo XIII. was not rich. As pontiff he received an annual income of \$1,250,000. Investments of the papal funds made by Pope Pius IX. brought in some \$250,000 a year. Peter's pence yielded some \$350,000 more. From offerings made by pilgrims, etc., an average of \$200,000 annually proceeded. From Catholic sovereigns and wealthy religious orders came donations of \$200,000 more, and from offerings by those admitted to special audiences another quarter of a million, says the New York News.

But when it is considered that the expenses of the Vatican alone are \$2,000 to \$3,000 a day, and that the pope pays the nuncios and legates at foreign courts, besides subscribing liberally to Roman charities, the income is little or none greater than the expenditure.

Pope Leo, out of his own investments, drew a certain income, but though his personal expenditures were less than \$5 a day, he has saved only a trifle. Such expensive works as the establishment and maintenance of a hospital and schools—with breakfast for the pupils, by the way—in his native town and like good works established elsewhere made a great drain on his income.

The fortune he leaves as pontiff passes on to his successor. His private estate will go to his five nephews in equal parts.

SENATOR'S NEW BEVERAGE.

Invented at Sen. Eugene Hale Calls It the "Ginger Ale Jounce."

Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, who went over to England on the St. Paul and came back on the same ship just for the voyage, the return trip ending the other day, invented a new beverage, says the New York World.

In the party of friends who met often were Senator Hale, Deputy Surveyor Bishop of the port of New York, Colonel James Elverson, proprietor of the Philadelphia Inquirer, and Mrs. Elverson; C. W. Thomas, private secretary of Clement A. Griscom, Jr.; D. R. Dwyer and C. E. Heron of the United States secret service.

On one night the senator sprang his favorite decoction, a heftap of Scotch as deep as you like it, fill up with ginger ale and squeeze it all. The senator called it the ginger ale jounce.

A Pope's Tiara.

The pope calls himself (1) head of the Catholic or universal church; (2) sole arbiter of its rights; (3) sovereign father of all the kings of the earth, says the New York Press. From these assumptions he wears a triple crown, one as high priest, one as emperor and one as king. Pope Hormadas was the first to place on his bonnet a crown. Boniface VIII. added a second crown and John XXII. a third.

A Tribute to Leo XIII.

O peerless soul, white shepherd, lion leader without stain,
Three hundred millions of thy flock, who suffered in thy pain,
With other millions drawn by thy great heart's all winning love,
Weep o'er thy bier and pray for thee to him who rules above.

O fearless heart that met the king of terrors with a smile,
Stern foe of wrong, brave friend of right, stanch hero free from guile,
Be to us wanderers through the night a brightly guiding star;
Help our tired feet to follow thee, though weakly and afar.

A mourning world in tears for thee grieves for its crushing loss
And of thy patience begs a share to bear its heavy cross.
Yet triumph pulses through our grief because this world of strife,
Is higher, purer, nobler made by thy exalted life.

New strength thou gavest to the weak; greed quailed before thy name;
Thy justice, truth and charity have gained thee deathless fame;
Mankind, by thee uplifted, takes of faith and hope new lease
And craves for thee a well earned crown, rest and eternal peace.

—Kent Perkins in New York Evening Journal.

BORELLI'S COMET.

Garrett P. Serviss Points Out Where New Solar Visitor May Be Seen.

Borelli's comet has been plainly visible to the naked eye for several nights past, and as the moon is later every night the conditions for the visibility of the comet improve, says Garrett P. Serviss, the astronomer, in the New York American.

The comet itself is rapidly brightening, and as it is moving westward and somewhat northward from the cross in Cygnus its position is also favorable for observation. It is nearly overhead about 11 p. m. Earlier in the evening it should be looked for in the north-east.

The naked eye catches sight of it at once on account of its peculiar appearance—that of a hairy star. The nucleus is visible as a bright point, and the haze surrounding it is continually extending.

With an opera glass the denser part of the tail near the head can be distinguished, but a telescope is needed to show the bifurcation of the tail, which is several degrees in length and yet growing as the comet continues to approach the sun.

The recent discoveries concerning the constitution of matter and the subdivision of atoms lend particular interest to the phenomena connected with this comet.

The tail and other nebulous appendages of comets are probably composed of matter very finely divided and in a highly electrified condition, so that cometary nucleus throwing off these emanations may in some respects be likened to a bit of radium giving off its streams of disintegrated atoms.

The comet will continue to increase in brightness, but it cannot yet be said how bright it will become. It is at present moving rapidly, so that its change of place from night to night is very noticeable. It will be in perihelion about the 21st of August.

FOOD FOR STARVING INDIA.

Secretary Wilson Aids England's Colonial Office With Advice.

"Mix rice with ground peas or beans, and you will have plenty of food for all. Less food will be required and greater strength will result."

This is the recipe of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson at Washington, who has been appealed to for some suggestion of relief for starving India by representatives of England's colonial secretary, says the Philadelphia Press.

The practical sense of Secretary Wilson recommended him as a safe adviser.

The secretary did not require extensive scientific investigation. He first prepared a statement showing the nutrition in rice in comparison with wheat, oats, barley, corn, peas and beans. From the reports of the soil in India he was assured that beans and peas can be raised in abundance. Mixed with rice, the result would be a muscle and brain producing food.

NEW TOWER OF DIOGENES.

French Seizes Manufacture to Erect Structure of Porcelain.

There rose above St. Cloud, near Paris, before the war of 1870 a sort of square tower of brick and porcelain called the "Tower of Diogenes." The state manufacture of Sevres, in France, is about to replace this tower—destroyed in one of the campaigns—by a porcelain one, says the Chicago Record-Herald.

The design of the original tower has just been handed in for the inspection of the director of fine arts. It will be composed of white, blue, turquoise, rose, coral and emerald green china, 30,000 pieces in all being required for its composition. The decorations will be both from the floral and animal kingdom and will portray the legends of the forest of St. Cloud. From its great height it will overlook Paris.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, July 25.—Wheat—Cash, 86 1/2 c; July, 86 1/2 c; Sept., 75 1/2 c to 75 c; Dec., 74 1/2 c. On track—No. 1 hard, 87 1/2 c; No. 1 Northern, 86 1/2 c; No. 2 Northern, 84 1/2 c to 85 c; No. 3 Northern, 81 c.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, July 25.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.25 to \$5.00; common to fair, \$3.00 to \$4.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$4.00; veals, \$2.50 to \$3.00. Hogs—\$5.00 to \$5.50. Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.00 to \$4.25; lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.85.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, July 25.—Wheat—In store—No. 1 hard, 87 1/2 c; No. 1 Northern, 85 1/2 c; No. 2 Northern, 84 c. To arrive—No. 1 hard, 83 1/2 c; No. 1 Northern, 82 1/2 c; No. 2 Northern, 80 1/2 c; July, 85 1/2 c; Sept., 77 1/2 c; Dec., 75 1/2 c to 75 c. Flax—In store, to arrive, on track and July, 97 1/2 c; Sept., 98 c; Oct. and Nov., 88 1/2 c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, July 25.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.25 to \$5.50; poor to medium, \$4.25 to \$5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.40; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2.25 to \$4.75; calves, \$3.00 to \$6.30. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.40 to \$5.75; good to choice heavy, \$5.55 to \$5.70; rough heavy, \$5.25 to \$5.50; light, \$5.40 to \$5.82 1/2. Sheep—Good to choice, \$3.75 to \$4.00; Western, \$3.25 to \$4.00; native lambs, \$3.25 to \$6.25; Western, \$5.40 to \$6.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, July 25.—Wheat—July, 76 1/2 c; old, 76 1/2 c; Sept., 77 1/2 c to 77 c; old, 77 1/2 c; Dec., 77 1/2 c to 77 c; old, 77 1/2 c; May, 79 1/2 c. Corn—July, 51 1/2 c; Sept., 50 1/2 c to 50 c; Dec., 52 1/2 c; May, 52 1/2 c. Oats—July, 41 1/2 c; Sept., 33 1/2 c; Dec., 34 1/2 c; May, 36 1/2 c to 36 c. Pork—July, \$13.55; Sept., \$13.80; Dec., \$13.75. Flax—Cash, Northwestern, 96 c; Southwestern, 92 c; July, 90 c; Sept., 93 c; Dec., 93 1/2 c. Butter—Creameries, 14 to 14 1/2 c; dairies, 13 to 17 c. Eggs—11 to 13 c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12 c; chickens, 12 1/2 c.

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ROW IN A NEGRO CHURCH.

Two Killed and Six Others Wounded in a Fight at Camak, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.—A Constitution special from Camak, Ga., says:

"Two killed and six wounded, four of them, it is believed, fatally, is the result of a row at a negro church here last night in which pistols and razors played a deadly part."

The entire negro population of the town is terrorized as a result of the affray and it is impossible to learn the real cause of the trouble.

PLEASURE BOAT CAPSIZES.

Three Persons Drowned While Trying to Cross the Thames River.

New London, Conn., July 27.—Mrs. C. T. Thorpe, Miss Annabel Rogers and Samuel Gokel were drowned in the Thames river Sunday evening, by the capsizing of a pleasure boat, while attempting to cross the river. Four other occupants of the boat were saved.

Killed During a Quarrel.

Sault Ste. Marie, July 27.—Mat Makie, a Finlander, shot and instantly killed Sam Hall after a quarrel that originated at a Finnish wedding here

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